

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 1 as follows (a marked-up copy of claim 1 is provided at the end of this amendment):

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1. (Amended - Clean Copy) A lens molding die which comprises:
a base member made of a hard material and having one surface of a predetermined shape; and
a resin-molded surface layer formed on said one surface of the base member and having a surface shape corresponding to a predetermined shape of one surface of a lens to be produced, said surface shape of said resin-molded surface layer being different from said predetermined shape of said base member.

Please enter the following new claims for consideration by the Examiner:

---20. The lens molding die according to claim 1, wherein a curvature of said surface shape of said resin-molded surface layer is different from a curvature of said predetermined shape of said base member.

21. A lens molding die comprising:
a base member having a surface configuration; and
a resin-molded surface layer on said surface of said base member and having a surface layer surface configuration corresponding to a shape of a surface of a lens to be produced,

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